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COUNCIL TAKES INNING AT RAISING SALARIES

Police Department and Street Commissioner Benefit

PETITIONS RECEIVED

Citizens Ask Paving of Portion of Fallowfield and Part of Fifth St.

In addition to giving the regular routine business the attention it needed, council Tuesday night at the regular monthly meeting took a hand at raising salaries of borough officers, receiving petitions for paving and the hearing requests of a various nature. The salary of Chief of Police C. W. Albright was boosted $10 and set at the sum of $90 per month, and the salary of the patrolmen was advanced until each patrolman now will receive $75 per month.

A petition was received,properly signed for the paving of Fallowfield avenue between Tenth street and the intersection with Lincoln avnue. The petition was accepted, and an ordinance for such paving passed first reading, to be ordered printed and posted. John H. Frye was present asking that council consider the paving of Fifth street from the end of the paving at Meadow avenue to the borough line on the hill. This matter was placed in the hands of the street committee.

Rev. E. G. Stanley, Miss Nelle Ryland and Mrs. J. K. Smith, composing a committee working in the interests of a free library was present seeking to have the dog tax received each year turned over for the benefit of a library. The amount of the dog tax last year was $307. By special law council is empowered to put this tax to library uses. A committee of President W. R. Gaut, and Councilmen D. R. Duvall and Oscar C. Linn will take up the matter.

At the instance of the Charleroi Business Men's Association, council instructed Borough Clerk Ira L. Nickeson to write to Superintendent A. G. Mitchell, of the Monongahela division, P. R. R. asking that an effort be made to place the yards around the Charleroi freight house in better condition. Complaints have been made by automobile drivers and vehicle drivers generally of the mud about the station.

The monthly report of the treasurer and burgess were received. Treasurer T. R. Eagye gave the report as follows:

Balance	$3,087.94
Receipts	2,526.46
Total	$5,614.40
Disbursements	3,301.08
Balance in treasury	$2,313.32

Burgess George W. Risbeck reported that during January 61 arrests had been made and fines and costs assessed amounting to $132.60. Of the amount all but $20 was paid, this sum being served out in time.

Bills amounting in the aggregate to about $700 were ordered paid. George S. Might was present asking that he be permitted to take out a yearly license for dances to be held in the Might Auditorium The matter was placed in the hands of a committee.

President W. R. Gaut was in the chair, and the members of council present were Dr. A. O. Davis, W. H. Calvert, Oscar C. Linn, Frank Riva and D. R. Duvall.

Dinner and Supper, Saturday, February 8. Christ Lutheran church. Benefit Charleroi Brigade. 11 a. m. to 10 p. m. 165t3

SMALL FIRE THE RESULT OF DISCONNECTED HOSE

When a hose became disconnected from the hose cock at the Brusa home on McKean avenue near Sixth street Tuesday night, a blaze flashed up that threatened for a time to cause a serious fire. An alarm was turned in and the firemen responding promptly, the fire was extinguished almost before it had gotten a start. Chief J. M. Fleming urges the abandonment of the use of hose cocks and hose connections for gas fires. He gives one instance of where 10 per cent of an insurance rate is saved by a flat owner by having in his leases that tenants must not use hose connections.

LICENSE HEARINGS THROUGH

Court Concludes Work at Tuesday Afternoon's Session

TESTIMONY IS RECEIVED

With the hearing of the Zelt application for a brewery license at Washington, which was fought hard, the license hearings at Washington came to an end Tuesday afternoon. The court has all the papers, and the decisions will be handed down later.

Tuesday was devoted for the most part to the applications for new licenses. The application for a license at Beadleyville was withdawn and one of the applications at Finleyville, Theodore Sauers for the Hotel Shepler, was dropped because he had no lease on the propety. The other new applications at Midway, Fredericktown, Courtney and the Noble Hotel at New Eagle and the wholesale applications of Harry Hayden at Monongahela and Edmond Mackaey at Donora were among the last applications that came up. Proceedings were greatly shortened by the systematic preparation of the papers, and by the comprehensive knowledge of the situation displayed by the court.

Pumping Out Lock.

The large lock at Lock No. 4 will be pumped out within a day or so, to permit of it being repaired and put in condition to be operated exclusively during the reconstruction of the smaller lock. The government is planning to build a smaller lock at Lock No. 4 first.

BUSINESS MEN'S BANQUET FEB. 27

Committee Sets Date for Big Annual Event at Turner Hall--Securing Speakers of Note to Make Addresses

February 27 has been set as the date for the holding of the annual banquet of the Charleroi Business Men's Association. The committee from the business men who is working on arrangements, consisting of Charles O. Frye, George S. Might and Dr. J. W. Hunter has selected Turner Hall as the place for the affair to be held. Lines are out to secure a number of good speakers.

The annual business meeting of the Business Men's Association will be held tomorrow night, when the election of officers will occupy the attention of the members.

Nominations were made at a special meeting held a few weeks ago. Ballots will be taken tomorrow upon the men nominated for the various positions. Other names may be added.

MINISTERS TALK OF ENFORCEMENT OF SUNDAY LAWS

The local Ministerial Association held its monthly meeting Tuesday in the study of the Christian church. The Rev. E. N. Duty read an excellent paper on the "Book of Obadiah." The matter of Sunday legislation was also brought before the meeting, it being reported that there were several proposed acts before the state legislature that had for their object the profanation of the Sabbath day. It was resolved that the secretary of the association prepare petitions to the legislature protesting against any legislation whatever that would in any way interfere with a proper observance of the Sabbath Day, and especially protesting against the Wiltbane bill and all such bills of like purport. These petitions are to be presented to the various churches for signatures on thecoming Sunday. The following resoultion was also unanimously passed:

Whereas, Sunday is the minister's busiest day, and that he may give his best efforts to his churchservices it is important that no unnecessary burden be placed upon him on that day; and

Whereas, Sunday funerals are sought by some yet withlittlethought they can be adjusted to suit the best interests of the church and the minister; therefore it is

Resolved, That the Charleroi Ministerial Association desire their congregations and friends to co-operate with them to discourage Sunday funerals, and that when bereavement comes that the minister be sought for first to consider arrangements for the services.

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be sent to the local funeral directors and the press.

CATHOLIC YOUNG MEN ORGANIZE BOWLING LEAGUE

A new bowling league has been organized among Catholic young men of Charleroi, Fayette City and Roscoe. The name of the new organization will probably be the Monongahela Valley Catholic league. Bernard Smith, of Fayette City is the president; H. W. Wilson of Charleroi, secretary; and Rev. B. N. Axmacher, of Charleroi, treasurer. Teams composing the league will be St. Jerome's', O'Connell, A. O. H., and St. Cyril and Methodius of Charleroi; St Joseph's of Roscoe; and St. Eusebius, of Fayette City. Three games a week will be played.

SURPRISE PARTY FOR NORTH CHARLEROI MAN

A birthday surprise was held at North Charleroi Tuesday evening in honor of Thomas Jenkins. Various contests and games were enjoyed. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. Metz, Mr. and Mrs. George Allfree, Joseph Allfree, Mrs. Anderson Caseber, Mrs. Gaskill, Mrs. Kramer, Miss Hazel Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Chew, Mrs. Burke, Mrs. E. Allfree, Mrs. Hanger, Mr. and Mrs. Powell, and Mrs. Clyde Flenniken.

RECITAL DRAWS BIG CROWD TO BAPTIST CHURCH

The first of a series of events arranged by the Young People's Union of the First Baptist church in the interests of a building fund was held Tuesday night at the church, in the form of a Victrola recital. A most entertaining program of music was rendered, and some of the most noted singers and players in the world were heard.

Following was the program: Hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy," by Trinity choir; duet, "Whispering Hope," Alma Gluck and Louise Homer; tenor solo, "I Hear You Calling Me," McCormick; comic dialogue, "Shipmates," Golden and Hughes; tenor solo, "Because," Caruso; whistling solo, "The Birds and the Brook," Belmont; bass solo, an French, "Holy Night," by Pol Plancon; duet in Italian, Caruso and Scotti; "Hallelujah chorus," Victor chorus with Sousa's band; song, "I Love a Lassie," Harry Lauder; "Old Black Joe," Peerless Male quartet; solo, "Believe Me in All Those Endearing Young Charms," Melba; "Stars and Stripes Forever March, "Sousa's band; solo, "The Last Rose of Summer," Tetrazzini;comedy sketch, "Flannagan On The Farm," Porter; tenor solo, "O Dry Those Tears," Evan Williams; whistling solo, "In Venice," Belmont; sextet from Lucia, Sembrich, Caruso, Scotti, Journet, Severina, Daddi; hymn, "Holy Ghost With Light Divine," Trinity choir.

Of the numbers perhaps the two most enjoyed were the solo, "The Last Rose of Summer," by Tetrazzini, and the solo by Evan Williams, "O Dry Those Tears." Evans Williams, who today is one of the most noted singers of the globe was formerly a student under Prof. I. T. Daniel of Charleroi. The sextet from Lucia and "Hallelujah Chorus" were much appreciated.

A social hour following the rendition of the Victrola program was enjoyed by all. An offering received for the building fund amounted to between $15 and $20.

BELLE-VERNON GIRL BRIDE OF BALL PLAYER

Walter Urben, of Charleroi, and Miss Sarah Murphy of Belle Vernon were married at 4:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the rectory of St. Jerome's Catholic church by the pastor of the church, Rev. W. B. Fries. The couple was attended by William Urben, Jr., a brother of the groom, and his wife. Mr. and Mrs. Urben will go to housekeeping at once in Charleroi.

Mr. Urben is employed by the Pittsburg Steel company at their offices in Monessen, holding a clerical position. He is best known, perhaps as a ball player. In past years he played with Charleroi minor league teams, and the Charleroi Independents. Last year the groom was a mainstay of the Charleroi Independents, and one of the leaders of the Charleroi church league in all around playing being a member of St. Jerome's' Catholic church team.

Mrs. Urben is a well known young woman in Belle Vernon. She also numbers among her acquaintances many Charleroi folks, with whom she is very popular.

UNCLE SAMUEL MAKES CORPORATIONS JUMP

POWER PLANT IS DECIDED UPON BY SCHOOL DIRECTORS

At the first February meeting of the school board held Tuesday evening it was decided that a power plant would de built for the new school muilding to be erected at Crest avenue and Sixth street. The power plant will be for supplying the new building with electricity and power. Wells are also to be drilled about the property.

Bids will be asked for shortly on the construction of the heating plant for the new school.

IS ON JOB TILL TIME IS CALLED

Legislature Sets No Definite Date for Adjournment

FOR NEW CONSTITUTION

Harrisburg, Feb. 5—When the Committee on Rules pigeon-holed the Kitts resolution to adjourn on April 15, the legislature served notice that it was in session to do the business expected of it As a matter of fact both houses got down to serious business Tuesday. The committees are busily engaged in turning out bills for the calendar and record time is being made in this direction. At previous sessions all the important bills were usually held back until the last, and then rushed through without time being given for their consideration by the public. In that manner many of the "snakes" were permitted to slip through.

By the favorable action of the Judiciary Committee upon three measures, a step toward a constitutional convention for the revision of the fundamental law of the state was taken. One of the measures provides for the appointment of a commission to study the needs of a new constitution. Another provides for the election of the delegates to such a convention on a non-partisan ballot. The other provides for the submission to the people of the question as to whether or not there shall be such a convention.

The question is now squarely up to the legislature and it is expected that it willl pass the house. It is stated however, that Governor Tener is not in favor of changing the fundamental law of the state at this particular time, in view of the chaotic political conditions, and the great social unrest of the people. A change now might not meet with requirements at all later on, when public sentiment crystalizes on a system to govern the fundamental law of the state.

A public hearing will be given the club license bill on Wednesday, Feb-

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Quickly Decide to Remove Refuse from the River

WAS CASE OF SLIPPING

Land Slipped to Railroad--Railroad Company Slipped It Into Stream

Two large corporations and Uncle Sam figured in a peculiar affair at the "Third hollow" below Lock No. 4 that had its ending this morning. Uncle Sam, as usual had the last hand in the matter, after the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke company and the Pennsylvania Railroad company had acted as they thought the circumstances demanded. It was a case of landslide.

Some time ago refuse from an abandoned coal mine of the river combine at the Third hollow slipped onto the railroad tracks. The railroad company slipped the refuse into the river. Then the government did a little slipping and slipped one over on both corporations. The railroad company was instructed to get busy and take the stuff out of the river that they had put there. The railroad objected and slipped the matter along to the originators of the trouble, the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company.

The final result of the whole affair was that the coal combine a week ago sent a large force of men to the place where the river had been filled up, together with a number of scows and the necessary towboats. Working night and day for a week they have succeeded in removing the refuse from the river, finishing up the work this morning. They dumped the material inside the harbor line near where the Rostraver tipple used to be above Lock No. 4.

ALPHA PHI BETA CLUB DANCE IS PLEASING EVENT

The first formal dance of the winter season was given Tuesday evening in the Might Auditorium by the Alpha Phi Beta fraternity. The affair proved a delightful function. About 95 couples were present. Many came from out of town and visitors were here for the affair from as far away as Meadville, Tarentum and from West Virginia. The Nirella Orchestra of Pittsburg furnished the music.

Decorations were beautiful. Pennants were suspended from the walls and other pieces to enhance the beauty of the interior were used. The members of the Alpha Phi Beta club consider the dance one of the best and most interesting functions they ever held.

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Mrs. M. T. Crowley is in Brownsville today visiting Mrs. Ella Chalfant.

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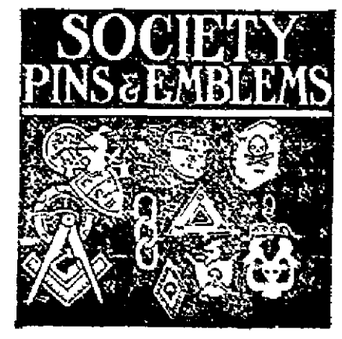

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A WISE RECOMMENDATION

In view of the overwhelming sentiment against such a proposition, the action of the Law and Order Committee of the house of representatives at Harrisburg in reporting negatively the bill to legalize Sunday baseball was timely. While there may be some logical arguments in favor of Sunday recreation of this sort, the better element of people throughout the state are decidely opposed to it, and that being the case to enact such a measure would be to defy public opinion, as well as to violate what is the accepted moral code of a big majority of the best citizens of the state.

Under these conditions Sunday baseball would be positively harmful. This has been demonstrated at various points in the Monongahela valley and elsewhere throughout the Pittsburg district, where Sunday games were attempted with the connivance to a certain extent of the authorities. The best people remained away from the games and the crowd that attended was of the type that did not as a rule have the proper regard for law and order. Conditions at the Sunday games went from bad to worse and the law had to be invoked to put a stop to the practice.

That is why Sunday baseball or any other laxity of the sort is not tolerable. There is much to be said in favor of a day of relaxation and rest for the workers whose opportunities are limited, but other and better means must be provided. The people of Pennsylvania will not tolerate a wide open Sunday.

IMPROVED CONDITIONS.

The annual report of Mine Inspector F. W. Cunningham of the Twenty-first bituminous district, which includes the mines on both sides of the river from the southern boundary of Charleroi up to and including Brownsville reveals a most satisfactory condition in regard to the employment of minors about the mines. In this district, which is one of the largest in the state in point of operations, there are twenty-three mines, of which twenty-one were in operation last year. The district produced the enormous quantity of 6,929,233 tons of coal last year, and the number of men employed during the year inside and outside about the mines was 6,735. Out of this number only 240 minors between the ages of 16 and 21 years were employed and the majority of these were 19 years old and over. Only 91 boys between the ages of 14 and 21 years old were employed outside in connection with the mining operations in the district.

This shows that the child labor laws regulating the industry are not only obeyed practically to the letter, but that comparatively few boys who have attained the minimum legal age are obliged to go to work. While there are still more stringent regulations sought in regard to the employment of minors about the mines, in this district at least, conditions are not at all bad. This low percentage of the employment of minors about the mines shows an improved condition, which speaks well for the prosperity of the mining industry in this community.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

How'd you like to be the gas man the first of the month?

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Farewell.

Little drops of venom,
Little grains of spite
Make the thing called gossip—
Then, dear friend, good night.
—Philadelphia Star.

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Love's labor lost is buying a bartender a drink.

Wonder if Senator Knute Nelson is of Scandinavian descent?

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The boy that is always the smartest in Latin is usually the one that finds out first his knowledge of the embalmed language is not a money maker.

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High School boys can truthfully argue that they know much more than many of their fathers did, just because they have studied in the higher branches. But as a rule the fathers will only smile and not deplore the fact.

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February seems to have more scruples about living up to its reputation as a winter month than January had.

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Excessive speed for an automobile depends altogether whether one is riding in it or dodging it.

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If a college education is such a great thing it is rather queer that some chaps who didn't have time to go to college have the best jobs.

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Anticipation is always better than realization except in having teeth pulled.

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An exchange states that the old-fashioned girl who used to wash dishes is still washing them, but her daughter is not.

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And now it appears that electricity isn't as new a discovery as we thought it was. That does not make it any more definable though.

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Spiritualists tell about receiving the latest message from W. T. Stead in Hell. He seems to have changed his place of residence since last heard from.

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Mother for the Laws.

Mother mends our broken heads
With antiseptic gauze;
Mother mends our feelings,
When they're hurt from any cause;
Mother mends our stockings,
Our waists and shirts and drawers,
And we're glad the time is coming
When she'll help to mend the laws.
—Contributed.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Amelia Artis of Fairchance has sold to Wilhelmia Kirschner of Charleroi a lot in Charleroi, fronting 25 feet on Lincoln avenue. The consideration was $450.

Frank Riva has sold to Charles A. Pollacci, of North Charleroi, lot in North Charleroi, fronting 30 feet on Conrad avenue. The consideration was $250.

Bowling Match.

William Kuhn, Willis Briggs, Joe Irose and Arch Osborne went to New Kensington today to take part in a bowling match. Next Tuesday a crack Pittsburg team will bowl at Osborne's alleys.

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PICKED UP IN PASSING

The "B. L. T. Pickups," which are a regular feature of the Inland Printer, are commanding wide attention. They are supposed to be compiled from the various newspapers, the country correspondence of rural weeklies, as well as from the columns of the big metropolitan dailies, particularly the "want ads," where many strange and ludicrous slips in English are encountered. Here are a few from the February number of the magazine which compiles the "Pickups:"

Keeping Close to His Work.

John Martini, an east end saloon keeper, was injured yesterday by being struck in the mouth with a glass.—LaSalle Post.

And Beware of Jamflimmers.

Do not be hornswaggled by windflammers. Remember that there is no greater windflammers than real estate agents. Let me show you the goods and be convinced—Dennis Marony. Ad in Burlington Hawkeye.

Still Another Orgy.

Ezra D. Beers and wife have as their guests Miss Lola Beers and Miss Mabel Boozle of Ipava—Canton Ledger.

Chemical Affinities.

Miss Anna Rough and William F. Raatz were married yesterday afternoon at the English Lutheran parsonage by Rev. Luther Smith. Mr. Raatz is a pressman employed in the Truth job department and his bride has until recently been employed at the H. B. Skyes store—Elkhart Truth.

As Distinguished From Hot Air.

FOR RENT—Front parlor and bedroom in new apartment, near Main street; must be nice people; steam heated—Evanston News.

An Ingenious Paradox.

Mrs. A. E. Hafner entertained the ladies at her home in honor of Mrs. Shanleford of Minneapolis. A social time was had by all, there being only widows present—Roberts (Wis.) News.

Ships That Pass in the Night.

Mike Thelan, 184 Sixth street, told Judge Neelan that when he came home late Monday night and started to climb through a window he met a man crawling out—Milwaukee Free Press.

Providence Lends a Hand.

"I write to thank you for the bath I got from the woman in Providence. R. I. We have been wanting one for years."—Marion Harland's Column.

Cruel and Unusual.

Jerome Bender, marshal, Nov., $5; killing and burying dog, $1.00; two tramps, 50 cents, $6.50.—Wyoming (Iowa) Journal.

Basket Ball.

Donora Five will play Charleroi at the Charleroi Rink Thursday Feb. 6, 1913. Both teams have been going good and a fast game is promised. Game called at 8:45. Skating before and after. Admission 25 cents including skates. 164-t3

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SPEERS

The Charleroi Lady Maccabees gave a party in honor of Mrs. Wm. Dunkerly at her home in Speers Monday night. A large crowd was present from Charleroi, Uniontown, Belle Vernon, Monessen and Speers. The evening was spent with music, games short stories, and toasts. Lunch was served. Mrs. Dunkerly who has been confined to her home the past 18 months with rheumatism is a little better.

Mrs. C. K. Chalfant is on the sick list.

Mrs. Park Jackman was a Thursday visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anson Crabb of Lock No. 4.

Wilbur Steel who for the past couple of weeks has been on the sick list is some better.

Mrs. Feuster was in Charleroi calling on her daughter Mrs. Chas. Stroud.

Mrs. George Greene was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Given at Ford City.

Harry Gaskill of Fayette City was a Speers caller Friday.

Mrs. Charles Seiler and babies, Ruth and Eugene of Donora spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Park Jackman.

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Build Big Tabernacle.

In order to prepare for a big evangelistic campaign in Canonsburg for which preliminary work has been in progress for several weeks, work was started on the erection of a mammoth tabernacle Monday in which to hold the meetings. The huge structure is being built by volunteer labor under direction of Jacob Weber of Cincinnati. It is to be constructed along the lines of the tabernacles used by Billy Sunday in his campaigns, and will seat 4,000 people. The meetings are to be in charge of Rev. H. M. Lyon an evangelist of note, who is now holding a series of meetings in Cleveland. The meetings begin Sunday, February 23.

Chicken Show at Canonsburg.

The annual exhibition of the Canonsburg and Pet Stock association opened in the Beadle auditorium Monday. Hundreds of fowls are on exhibition and the show promises to be the biggest and best in the history of the association.

Basket Ball at Hickory.

The Hickory High School basketball five, recently organized, will open the season Friday evening, February 7, with the ex-high school alumni students The high school boys have fast shown improvement since their organization and the game promises to be one of the fastest played on the local floor since the opening of the season.

Country Fair at Bentleyville.

The Sunday school class of Mrs. W. F. Richardson of the Bentleyville M. E. church, makes the following announcement: "On ye fifteenth day of February, nineteen hundred and thirteen, countless fair lassies compossing the 'Pushers' of ye Methodist Episcopal Sunday school of ye village of Bentleyville, will give in ye Bank Hall, of ye aforesaid village 'A Countrie Fair.' Ye countrie folk and villagers, including all ye fair lassies and brave youthful gallants are invited to attend the fair. Amid ye notes of soul-stirring music and ye glittering splendor of ye artistically decorated booths ye will desire to make a few purchases of home-made delicacies served by ye fair young daughters of our countrie." A fortune teller will be present and will delight the crowds by explaining the future of all those desiring same.

Slovaks Give Gymnastic Exhibition.

The Ellsworth Slovak Falcon's Lodge No. 126, gave a gymnastic exhibition in connection with a home talent show for the benefit of the lodge. This lodge trains its members along athletic lines for the purpose of keeping up their physical standard, regardless of their daily work in the mines. A team of five men under the leadership of Frank Pogoda did about all the various stunts upon parallel bars that can be done by a human being. Each number brought most enthusiastic applause from the audience and the society will have a general field meet during the coming summer..

Measles Close Schools.

The Finleyville schools have been closed for the past week owing to an epidemic of measles.

Had Clay Pigeon Shoot.

An interesting blue rock shooting contest was held at the home of Park Wilson at Rea Saturday afternoon. Mr. Wilson shot the most blue rocks. About 30 persons were present. Mr. Wilson will hold another match Saturday, February 8.

Ellsworth Has Live Woman's Club.

A meeting of the Ellsworth Woman's club was held at the home of Mrs. W. S. Stroud on Thursday afternoon. This organization devotes its efforts to self-improvement and the general civic needs of the community. They have always conducted a sewing class for the children of Ellsworth on Saturday afternoon until the present year when their activities have been devoted to other lines.

Pupils at Ellsworth Surprise Teacher

Neatly written invitations were received by the teachers of the Ellsworth schools a few days since from the Seventh and Eighth grade pupils of the schools to attend a dinner given by them. Mrs. W. H. Beck was selected by them as the hostess of the evening. The girls evidently knew of her ability in this capacity because there wasn't a dull moment in the entire evening from the time that the teachers were seated at dinner until the last game had been played in the evening. The dinner was served in the Kindergarten room of the school which is always used as a dining room for all school affairs. The table was nicly arrangd and a most appetizing dinner was served by the girls, which was entirely prepared by themselves. The manner of service and the care for detail was most noticeable. After the dinner the evening was given over to games and amusements of various kinds in which all took a part. The girls who compose the Seventh and Eight grades are: Margaret Beveridge, Lillie Calverly, Margaret Comon, Helen King, Anna Lethey, Margaret Leckie, Kate Plenderleith, Hazel Shank, Maude Welling, Jane Beveridge, Marie McNulty, Ethel Morgan, Helen Nix, Mary Nix, Ruth Painter, Mary Shank, Elizabeth Snyder, Ida Weaver and Jennie White.

Beallsville Man Wins Prize.

At the Monongahela Poultry show last week Charles Borom of Beallsville, who exhibited Barred Rocks, won first and fourth pullet, second cockeral and second pen. C. L. Holder who exhibited Rose Combed Minorcas also won.

Club to Hold Banquet.

A called meeting of the American Pioneer club was held at the home of Mrs. W. F. Richardson of Bentleyville last week for the purpose of arranging for the annual banquet of all members and their husbands.

Experts Talk on Birds.

For nearly two hours J. S. Briggs of Norristown, Pa., of the Bureau of Horticulture talked to a large audience Friday evening in the high school building at Hickory on the "Economic Value of Our Birds." His lecture was one of the most interesting and instructive that has ever been delivered on a local platform, especially to the boys and girls of the community.

Farmer Meets With Queer Accident.

Jefferson McRoberts, a well known

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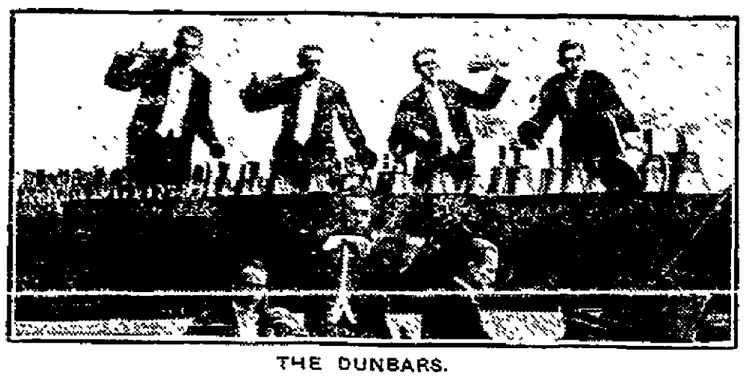
SINGERS AND BELL RINGERS TO APPEAR



THE DUNBARS.

Fresh from a three-weeks' concert tour in Canada, the Dunbar male quartet, which it is believed will be one of the best attractions of the season on the Charleroi Entertainment course arrived here this morning for their concert to be given tonight at the Methodist Episcopal church. The quartet came to Charleroi from West Newton and tomorrow will go to Pittsburg where they will appear tomorrow evening.

Since its inception the Dunbar quartet has changed somewhat. The present manager is J. Leon Felgar, who took the place of Ralph Parland. Like Parland, he is a basso. The members of the club on their present tour are J. M. Wood and J. A. Nesbit, tenors; R. E. McConnell, baritone, and Mr. Felgar, bass. Burdened with musical instruments and suitcases the company of four looked more like a branch of a theatrical troupe than anything else when they arrived. Not only are the members of the quartet singers but they are also players being at home with various kinds of musical instruments. Their bell ringing is a feature. They promise a most interesting concert.

IS ON JOB TILL TIME IS CALLED

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ruary 12, while the state wide prohibition bill will come up for a public hearing next Monday. The law and order committee has reported out the anti-treating bill and the bill to prevent beer and wholesale agents from selling to the consumers' trade.

Representative Walton of Lawrence today introduced another local option bill. It is similar to the Anti-Saloon League measure offered in every respect, except that it provides that each ward of a city or borough and each township shall vote separately and for itself on the "wet" and "dry" question. It is very similar to the Boyd bill that provoked such a bitter fight during the last Legislative session.

The movement in favor of woman suffrage was aided greatly Tuesday, when Senator Vare of Philadelphia declared that he and his friends were in favor of submitting the amendment giving women the right to vote to the voters for approval or rejection. The bill has already passed two readings in the house, and is expected to come up for final passage today. Because of this, Harrisburg is invaded by an army of fair suffragets, who are working hard for their measure. While it was generally conceded that the measure to submit the question might pass the house, it was also believed that the senate would give it a solar plexus, and thus delay the submission another two years. Senator Vare's position, however, has given the women additional encouragement, and they are hopeful of getting the measure through both houses. As Governor Tener has recommended the submission of the question in his message, there is no doubt but what he will promptly sign it if the bill passes both houses.

What is considered a freak bill was introduced by Representative Runk of Franklin county, in what is known as the "finger bowl" bill. This prohibits the use of finger bowls in public places by more than one person The bowls must be cleansed each time after use, under the penalty of fine for each violation.

Sunday baseball in Pennsylvania got a solar plexus blow by being reported to the house by the Law and Order committee with a negative recommendation. This is expected to kill the measure for the rest of the session.

The flood of bills that is being introduced continues, and until they are reported out by the various committees their full significance is not apparent at this particular time.

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18.00	Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now	13.75	4.00	Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now	3.00
20.00	Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now	14.50	5.00	Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now	3.75
22.00	Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now	16.50	6.00	Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now	4.25
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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

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Fred W. Cooper is visiting in Pittsburg.

Ralph Bayne purchased a new team of horses Tuesday from an owner near Brownsville.

Gilbert Riggle and James Welch attended the play "The Lion and the Mouse" at the Monessen Opera House Tuesday evening.

Dinner and Supper, Saturday, February 8. Christ Lutheran church. Benefit Charleroi Brigade. 11 a. m. to 10 p. m. 165t3

OVER THE COUNTY

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farmer of West Pike Run township, met with an accident one day last week near the home of John Simon on the National pike. Mr. McRoberts was returning home with a number of pigs which had been placed in a box. In some manner one got its head fast and commenced to squeal loudly. Mr. McRoberts was in a road wagon and when he went to investigate the noise made by the pig caused the horses to take fright. Mr. McRoberts had his right hand between two boards and when the wagon was jerked away his fingers were caught. The horses ran a short distance and were caught by some teamsters. Mr. McRoberts went to the home of J. C. Dague at Beallsville and had his hand dressed, and when he arrived a physician made an examination, when it was found that two fingers were broken. His hand was also cut as was one of his legs.

Theatre Owner Sued for Damages.

Iona Williams Greene and Frederick Greene, her husband, have brought suit against John C. Morgan of Canonsburg owner of the Morgan building for $4,000 and $6,000 respectively, for personal injuries received in the Cononsburg Opera House disaster of Saturday night, August 26, 1911. This is the first action brought as a result of that memorable catastrophe.

Meetings Postponed a Week.

The tabernacle meetings in Canonsburg to be conducted by Evangelist Milford H. Lyon and party, which were announced to begin at Canonsburg Sunday, February 16 will not start until Sunday, February 23. The evangelist and his party will be obliged to remain a week longer in Cleveland than expected.

Back to the Country.

It is stated that Cyrus Morrow former county prothonotary, has been looking about Claysville with a view to moving to that place from the county seat.

Borough Sued for $1,000.

Joseph Salvitti of Bentleyville, through his attorneys has filed notice of an appeal from the viewers award on the damages to his property by reason of theconstruction of a borough sewer on Main street, Bentleyville. A statement of claim in a suit for $1,000 damages from the borough by reason of the construction of the sewer was also filed.

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COUNCIL TAKES INNING AT RAISING SALARIES

Police Department and Street Commissioner Benefit

PETITIONS RECEIVED

Citizens Ask Paving of Portion of Fallowfield and Part of Fifth St.

In addition to giving the regular routine business the attention it needed, council Tuesday night at the regular monthly meeting took a hand at raising salaries of borough officers, receiving petitions for paving and the hearing requests of a various nature. The salary of Chief of Police C. W. Albright was boosted $10 and set at the sum of $90 per month, and the salary of the patrolmen was advanced until each patrolman now will receive $75 per month.

A petition was received, properly signed for the paving of Fallowfield avenue between Tenth street and the intersection with Lincoln avnue The petition was accepted, and an ordinance for such paving passed first reading, to be ordered printed and posted. John H. Frye was present asking that council consider the paving of Fifth street from the end of the paving at Meadow avenue to the borough line on the hill. This matter was placed in the hands of the street committee.

Rev E G. Stanley, Miss Nelle Ryland and Mrs. J. K Smith, composing a committee working in the interests of a free library was present seeking to have the dog tax received each year turned over for the benefit of a library. The amount of the dog tax last year was $307. By special law council is empowered to put this tax to library uses. A committee of President W R. Gaut, and Councilmen D. R. Duvall and Oscar C. Linn will take up the matter.

At the instance of the Charleroi Business Men's Association, council instructed Borough Clerk Ira L. Nickeson to write to Superintendent A. G. Mitchell, of the Monongahela division, P. R R asking that an effort be made to place the yards around the Charleroi freight house in better condition. Complaints have been made by automobile drivers and vehicle drivers generally of the mud about the station.

The monthly report of the treasurer and burgess were received. Treasurer T. R. Eagye gave the report as follows:

Balance	$3,087.94
Receipts	2,526.46
Total	$5,614.40
Disbursements	3,801.08
Balance in treasury	$2,813.32

Burgess George W. Risbeck reported that during January 61 arrests had been made and fines and costs assessed amounting to $132.60. Of the amount all but $20 was paid, this sum being served out in time.

Bills amounting in the aggregate to about $700 were ordered paid. George S. Might was present asking that he be permitted to take out a yearly license for dances to be held in the Might Auditorium. The matter was placed in the hands of a committee.

President W. R. Gaut was in the chair, and the members of council present were Dr. A. O. Davis, W. H. Calvert, Oscar C. Linn, Frank Riva and D. R. Duvall.

Dinner and Supper, Saturday, February 8. Christ Lutheran church. Benefit Charleroi Brigade. 11 a. m. to 10 p. m. 1653

SMALL FIRE THE RESULT OF DISCONNECTED HOSE

When a hose became disconnected from the hose cock at the Brusa home on McKean avenue near Sixth street Tuesday night, a blaze flashed up that threatened for a time to cause a serious fire. An alarm was turned in and the firemen responding promptly, the fire was extinguished almost before it had gotten a start. Chief J. M. Fleming urges the abandonment of the use of hose cocks and hose connections for gas fires He gives one instance of where 10 per cent of an insurance rate is saved by a flat owner by having in his leases that tenants must not use hose connections.

LICENSE HEARINGS THROUGH

Court Concludes Work at Tuesday Afternoon's Session

TESTIMONY IS RECEIVED

With the hearing of the Zelt application for a brewery license at Washington, which was fought hard, the license hearings at Washington came to an end Tuesday afternoon The court has all the papers, and the decisions will be handed down later

Tuesday was devoted for the most part to the applications for new licenses The application for a license at Bentleyville was withdawn and one of the applications at Finleyville, Theodore Sayers for the Hotel Shepler, was dropped because he had no lease on the propety. The other new applications at Midway, Fredericktown, Courtney and the Noble Hotel at New Eagle and the wholesale applications of Harry Hayden at Monongahela and Edmond Mackaey at Donora were among the last applications that came up. Proceedings were greatly shortened by the systematic preparation of the papers, and by the comprehensive knowledge of the situation displayed by the court.

Pumping Out Lock.

The large lock at Lock No. 4 will be pumped out within a day or so, to permit of it being repaired and put in condition to be operated exclusively during the reconstruction of the smaller lock. The government is planning to build a smaller lock at Lock No. 4 first.

BUSINESS MEN'S BANQUET FEB. 27

Committee Sets Date for Big Annual Event at Turner Hall--Securing Speakers of Note to Make Addresses

February 27 has been set as the date for the holding of the annual banquet of the Charleroi Business Men's Association. The committee from the business men who is working on arrangements, consisting of Charles O. Frye, George S. Might and Dr. J. W. Hunter has selected Turner Hall as the place for the affair to be held. Lines are out to secure a number of good speakers.

The annual business meeting of the Business Men's Association will be held tomorrow night, when the election of officers will occupy the attention of the members.

Nominations were made at a special meeting held a few weeks ago. Ballots will be taken tomorrow upon the men nominated for the various positions. Other names may be added.

MINISTERS TALK OF ENFORCEMENT OF SUNDAY LAWS

The local Ministerial Association held its monthly meeting Tuesday in the study of the Christian church. The Rev. E N. Duty read an excellent paper on the "Book of Obadiah." The matter of Sunday legislation was also brought before the meeting, it being reported that there were several proposed acts before the state legislature that had for their object the profanation of the Sabbath day. It was resolved that the secretary of the association prepare petitions to the legislature protesting against any legislation whatever that would in any way interfere with a proper observance of the Sabbath Day, and especially protesting against the Wiltbane bill and all such bills of like purport. These petitions are to be presented to the various churches for signatures on thecoming Sunday. The following resoultion was also unanimously passed:

Whereas, Sunday is the minister's busiest day, and that he may give his best efforts to his churchservices it is important that no unnecessary burden be placed upon him on that day; and

Whereas, Sunday funerals are sought by some yet withlittlethought they can be adjusted to suit the best interests of the church and the minister; therefore it is

Resolved, That the Charleroi Ministerial Association desire their congregations and friends to co-operate with them to discourage Sunday funerals, and that when bereavement comes that the minister be sought for first to consider arrangements for the services.

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be sent to the local funeral directors and the press.

CATHOLIC YOUNG MEN ORGANIZE BOWLING LEAGUE

A new bowling league has been organized among Catholic young men of Charleroi, Fayette City and Roscoe. The name of the new organization will probably be the Monongahela Valley Catholic league. Bernard Smith, of Fayette City is the president; H. W. Wilson of Charleroi, secretary: and Rev. B. N. Axmacher, of Charleroi, treasurer. Teams composing the league will be St. Jeromes', O'Connell, A. O. H., and St. Cyril and Methodius of Charleroi; St Joseph's of Roscoe; and St. Eusebius, of Fayette City. Three games a week will be played.

SURPRISE PARTY FOR NORTH CHARLEROI MAN

A birthday surprise was held at North Charleroi Tuesday evening in honor of Thomas Jenkins. Various contests and games were enjoyed Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. Metz, Mr. and Mrs. George Allfree, Joseph Allfree, Mrs. Anderson Caseber, Mrs. Gaskill, Mrs. Kramer, Miss Hazel Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Chew, Mrs. Burke, Mrs. E. Allfree, Mrs. Hanger, Mr. and Mrs. Powell, and Mrs. Clyde Flenniken.

RECITAL DRAWS BIG CROWD TO BAPTIST CHURCH

The first of a series of events arranged by the Young People's Union of the First Baptist church in the interests of a building fund was held Tuesday night at the church, in the form of a Victrola recital. A most entertaining program of music was rendered, and some of the most noted singers and players in the world were heard

Following was the program: Hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy," by Trinity choir; duet, "Whispering Hope," Alma Gluck and Louise Homer; tenor solo, "I Hear You Calling Me," McCormick; comic dialogue, "Shipmates," Golden and Hughes; tenor solo, "Because," Caruso, whistling solo, "The Birds and the Brook," Belmont; bass solo, in French, "Holy Night," by Pol Plancon: duet in Italian,—Caruso and Scotti; "Hallelujah chorus," Victor chorus with Sousa's band; song, "I Love a Lassie," Harry Lauder; "Old Black Joe," Peerless Male quartet; solo, "Believe Me in All Those Endearing Young Charms," Melba; "Stars and Stripes Forever March, "Sousa's band; solo, "The Last Rose of Summer," Tetrazzini; comedy sketch, "Flannagan On The Farm," Porter; tenor solo, "O Dry Those Tears," Evan Williams; whistling solo, "In Venice," Belmont; sextet from Lucia, Sembrich, Caruso, Scotti, Journet, Severina, Daddi; hymn, "Holy Ghost With Light Divine." Trinity choir.

Of the numbers perhaps the two most enjoyed were the solo, "The Last Rose of Summer," by Tetrazzini, and the solo by Evan Williams, "O Dry Those Tears." Evans Williams, who today is one of the most noted singers of the globe was formerly a student under Prof. I. T. Daniel of Charleroi. The sextet from Lucia and "Hallelujah Chorus" were much appreciated.

A social hour following the rendition of the Victrola program was enjoyed by all. An offering received for the building fund amounted to between $15 and $20.

BELLE-VERNON GIRL BRIDE OF BALL PLAYER

Walter Urben, of Charleroi, and Miss Sarah Murphy of Belle Vernon were married at 4:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the rectory of St. Jeromess' Catholic church by the pastor of the church, Rev. W. B. Fries. The couple was attended by William Urben, Jr., a brother of the groom, and his wife. Mr. and Mrs. Urben will go to housekeeping at once in Charleroi

Mr. Urben is employed by the Pittsburg Steel company at their offices in Monessen, holding a clerical position. He is best known, perhaps as a ball player. In past years he played with Charleroi minor league teams, and the Charleroi Independents, and one of the leaders of the Charleroi church league in all around playing being a member of St. Jeromes' Catholic church team.

Mrs. Urben is a well known young woman in Belle Vernon. She also numbers among her acquaintances many Charleroi folks, with whom she is very popular.

UNCLE SAMUEL MAKES CORPORATIONS JUMP

POWER PLANT IS DECIDED UPON BY SCHOOL DIRECTORS

At the first February meeting of the school board held Tuesday evening it was decided that a power plant would be built for the new school muilding to be erected at Crest avenue and Sixth street. The power plant will be for supplying the new building with electricity and power. Wells are also to be drilled about the property.

Bids will be asked for shortly on the construction of the heating plant for the new school

IS ON JOB TILL TIME IS CALLED

Legislature Sets No Definite Date for Adjournment

FOR NEW CONSTITUTION

Harrisburg, Feb. 5.—When the Committee on Rules pigeon-holed the Kitts resolution to adjourn on April 15, the legislature served notice that it was in session to do the business expected of it. As a matter of fact both houses got down to serious business Tuesday. The committees are busily engaged in turning out bills for the calendar and record time is being made in this direction. At previous sessions all the important bills were usually held back until the last, and then rushed through without time being given for their consideration by the public. In that manner many of the "snakes" were permitted to slip through.

By the favorable action of the Judiciary Committee upon three measures, a step toward a constitutional convention for the revision of the fundamental law of the state was taken. One of the measures provides for the appointment of a commission to study the needs of a new constitution. Another provides for the election of the delegates to such a convention on a non-partisan ballot. The other provides for the submission to the people of the question as to whether or not there shall be such a convention.

The question is now squarely up to the legislature and it is expected that it willl pass the house. It is stated however, that Governor Tener is not in favor of changing the fundamental law of the state at this particular time, in view of the chaotic political conditions, and the great social unrest of the people. A change now might not meet with requirements at all later on, when public sentiment crystalizes on a system to govern the fundamental law of the state.

A public hearing will be given the club license bill on Wednesday, Feb-

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Quickly Decide to Remove Refuse from the River

WAS CASE OF SLIPPING

Land Slipped to Railroad—Railroad Company Slipped It Into Stream

Two large corporations and Uncle Sam figured in a peculiar affair at the "Third Hollow" below Lock No. 4 that had its ending this morning. Uncle Sam, as usual had the last hand in the matter, after the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke company and the Pennsylvania Railroad company had acted as they thought the circumstances demanded. It was a case of landslide.

Some time ago refuse from an abandoned coal mine of the river combine at the Third hollow slipped onto the railroad tracks The railroad company slipped the refuse into the river. Then the government did a little slipping and slipped one over on both corporations The railroad company was instructed to get busy and take the stuff out of the river that they had out there The railroad objected and slipped the matter along to the originators of the trouble, the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company.

The final result of the whole affair was that the coal combine a week ago sent a large force of men to the place where the river had been filled up, together with a number of scows and the necessary towboats. Working night and day for a week they have succeeded in removing the refuse from the river, finishing up the work this morning They dumped the material inside the harbor line near where the Rostraver ripple used to be above Lock No. 4.

ALPHA PHI BETA CLUB DANCE IS PLEASING EVENT

The first formal dance of the winter season was given Tuesday evening in the Might Auditorium by the Alpha Phi Beta fraternity. The affair proved a delightful function. About 95 couples were present. Many came from out of town and visitors were here for the affair from as far away as Meadville, Tarentum and from West Virginia. The Nirella Orchestra of Pittsburg furnished the music.

Decorations were beautiful. Pennants were suspended from the walls and other pieces to enhance the beauty of the interior were used. The members of the Alpha Phi Beta club consider the dance one of the best and most interesting functions they ever held.

Dinner and Supper, Saturday, February 8. Christ Lutheran church. Benefit Charleroi Brigade. 11 a. m. to 10 p. m. 1653

Mrs. M. T. Crowley is in Brownsville today visiting Mrs. Ella Chalfant.

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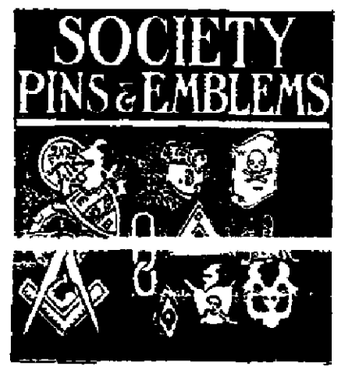

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A WISE RECOMMENDATION

In view of the overwhelming sentiment against such a proposition, the action of the Law and Order Committee of the house of representatives at Harrisburg in reporting negatively the bill to legalize Sunday baseball was timely. While there may be some logical arguments in favor of Sunday recreation of this sort, the better element of people throughout the state are decidely opposed to it, and that being the case to enact such a measure would be to defy public opinion, as well as to violate what is the accented moral code of a big majority of the best citizens of the state.

Under these conditions Sunday baseball would be positively harmful. This has been demonstrated at various points in the Monongahela valley and elsewhere throughout the Pittsburg district, where Sunday games were attempted with the connivance to a certain extent of the authorities. The best people remained away from the games and the crowd that attended was of the type that did not as a rule have the proper regard for law and order. Conditions at the Sunday games went from bad to worse and the law had to be invoked to put a stop to the practice.

That is why Sunday baseball or any other laxity of the sort is not tolerable. There is much to be said in favor of a day of relaxation and rest for the workers whose opportunities are limited, but other and better means must be provided. The people of Pennsylvania will not tolerate a wide open Sunday.

IMPROVED CONDITIONS.

The annual report of Mine Inspector F. W. Cunningham of the Twenty-first bituminous district, which includes the mines on both sides of the river from the southern boundary of Charleroi up to and including Brownsville reveals a most satisfactory condition in regard to the employment of minors about the mines. In this district, which is one of the largest in the state in point of operations, there are twenty-three mines, of which twenty-one were in operation last year. The district produced the enormous quantity of 6,929,238 tons of coal last year, and the number of men employed during the year inside and outside about the mines was 5,- minors between the ages of 16 and 21 years were employed and the majority of these were 18 years old and over. Only 91 boys between the ages of 14 and 21 years old were employed outside in connection with the mining operations in the district.

This shows that the child labor laws regulating the industry are not only obeyed practically to the letter, but that comparatively few boys who have attained the minimum legal age are obliged to go to work. While there are still more stringent regulations sought in regard to the employment of minors about the mines, in this district at least, conditions are not at all bad. This low percentage of the employment of minors about the mines shows an improved condition, which speaks well for the prosperity of the mining industry in this community.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

How'd you like to be the gas man the first of the month?

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Farewell.

Little drops of venom,
Little grains of spite
Make the thing called gossip—
Then, dear friend, good night.
—Philadelphia Star.

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Love's labor lost is buying a bartender a drink.

Wonder if Senator Knute Nelson is of Scandinavian descent?

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The boy that is always the smartest in Latin is usually the one that finds out first his knowledge of the embalmed language is not a money maker.

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High School boys can truthfully argue that they know much more than many of their fathers did, just because they have studied in the higher branches. But as a rule the fathers will only smile and not deplore the fact.

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February seems to have more scruples about living up to its reputation as a winter month than January had.

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Excessive speed for an automobile depends altogether whether one is riding in it or dodging it.

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If a college education is such a great thing it is rather queer that some chaps who didn't have time to go to college have the best jobs.

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Anticipation is always better than realization except in having teeth pulled.

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An exchange states that the old-fashioned girl who used to wash dishes is still washing them, but her daughter is not.

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And now it appears that electricity isn't as new a discovery as we thought it was. That does not make it any more definable though.

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Spiritualists tell about receiving the latest message from W. T. Stead in Hell. He seems to have changed his place of residence since last heard from.

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Mother for the Laws.

Mother mends our broken heads
With antiseptic gauze;
Mother mends our feelings,
When they're hurt from any cause;
Mother mends our stockings,
Our waists and shirts and drawers,
And we're glad the time is coming
When she'll help to mend the laws.
—Contributed.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Amelia Artis of Fairchance has sold to Wilhelmia Kirschner of Charleroi a lot in Charleroi, fronting 25 feet on Lincoln avenue. The consideration was $450.

Frank Riva has sold to Charles A. Pollacci, of North Charleroi, lot in North Charleroi, fronting 30 feet on Conrad avenue. The consideration was $250.

Bowling Match.

William Kuhn, Willis Briggs, Joe Irose and Arch Osborne went to New Kensington today to take part in a bowling match. Next Tuesday a crack Pittsburg team will bowl at Osborne's alleys.

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PICKED UP IN PASSING

The "B. L. T. Pickups," which are a regular feature of the Inland Printer, are commanding wide attention. They are supposed to be compiled from the various newspapers, the country correspondence of rural weeklies, as well as from the columns of the big metropolitan dailies, particularly the "want ads," where many strange and ludicrous slips in English are encountered. Here are a few from the February number of the magazine which compiles the "Pickups:"

Keeping Close to His Work.

John Martini, an east end saloon keeper, was injured yesterday by being struck in the mouth with a glass. —LaSalle Post.

And Beware of Jamflimmers.

Do not be hornswaggled by windflammers. Remember that there is [illegible] estate agents. Let me show you the goods and be convinced—Dennis Marony, Ad in Burlington Hawkeye.

Still Another Orgy.

Ezra D. Beers and wife have as their guests Miss Lola Beers and Miss Mabel Boozle of Ipava—Canton Ledger.

Chemical Affinities.

Miss Anna Rough and William F. Raatz were married yesterday afternoon at the English Lutheran parsonage by Rev. Luther Smith. Mr. Raatz is a pressman employed in the Truth job department and his bride has until recently been employed at the H. B. Skyes store—Elkhart Truth.

As Distinguished From Hot Air.

FOR RENT—Front parlor and bedroom in new apartment, near Main street; must be nice people; steam heated—Evanston News.

An Ingenious Paradox.

Mrs. A. E. Hafner entertained the ladies at her home in honor of Mrs. Shanleford of Minneapolis. A social time was had by all, there being only widows present—Roberts (Wis.) News.

Ships That Pass in the Night.

Mike Thelan, 184 Sixth street, told Judge Nolan that when he came home late Monday night and started to climb through a window he met a man crawling out—Milwaukee Free Press.

Providence Lends a Hand.

"I write to thank you for the bath I got from the woman in Providence, R. I. We have been wanting one for years."—Marion Harland's Column.

Cruel and Unusual.

Jerome Bender, marshal, Nov., $5; killing and burying dog, $1.00; two tramps, 50 cents, $6.50.—Wyoming (Iowa) Journal.

Basket Ball.

Donora Five will play Charleroi at the Charleroi Rink Thursday Feb. 6, 1913. Both teams have been going good and a fast game is promised. Game called at 8:45. Skating before and after. Admission 25 cents including skates. 164-48

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SPEERS

The Charleroi Lady Maccabees gave a party in honor of Mrs. Wm. Dunkerly at her home in Speers Monday night. A large crowd was present from Charleroi, Uniontown, Belle Vernon, Monessen and Speers. The evening was spent with music, games short stories, and toasts. Lunch was served. Mrs. Dunkerly who has been confined to [illegible] home the past 18 months with rheumatism is a little better.

Mrs. C. K. Chalfant is on the sick list.

Mrs. Park Jackman was a Thursday visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anson Crabb of Lock No. 4.

Wilbur Steel who for the past couple of weeks has been on the sick list is some better.

Mrs. Fenster [illegible] calling on her daughter Mrs. Chas. Stroud.

Mrs. George Greene was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Given at Ford City.

Harry Gaskill of Fayette City was a Speers caller Friday.

Mrs. Charles Seiler and babies, Ruth and Eugene of Donora spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Park Jackman.

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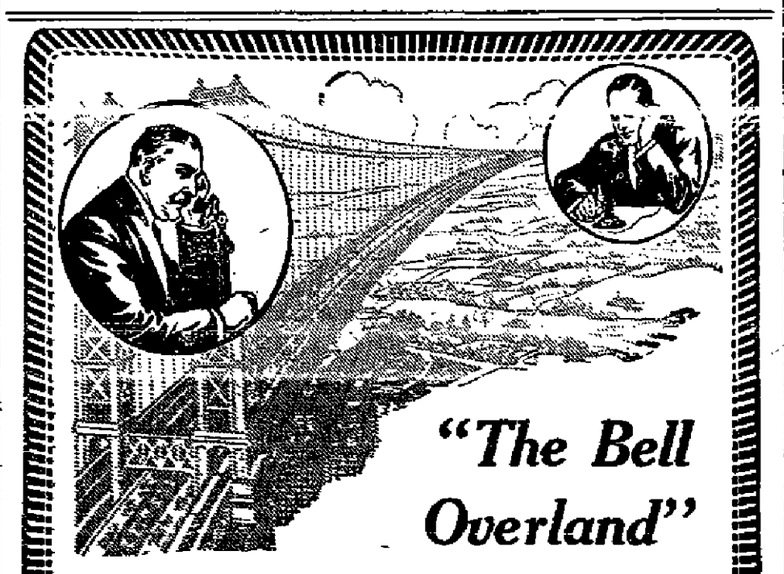

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OVER THE COUNTY

Build Big Tabernacle.

In order to prepare for a big evangelistic campaign in Canonsburg for which preliminary work has been in progress for several weeks, work was started on the erection of a mammoth tabernacle Monday in which to hold the meetings. The huge structure is being built by volunteer labor under direction of Jacob Weber of Cincinnati. It is to be constructed along the lines of the tabernacles used by Billy Sunday in his campaigns, and will seat 4,000 people. The meetings are to be in charge of Rev. H. M. Lyon an evangelist of note, who is now holding a series of meetings in Cleveland. The meetings begin Sunday, February 23.

Chicken Show at Canonsburg.

The annual exhibition of the Canonsburg and Pet Stock Association [illegible] day. Hundreds of fowls are on exhibition and the show promises to be the biggest and best in the history of the association.

Basket Ball at Hickory.

The Hickory High School basketball five recently organized, will open the season Friday evening, February 7, with the ex-high school alumni students. The high school boys have fast shown improvement since their organization and the game promises to be one of the fastest played on the local floor since the opening of the season.

Country Fair at Bentleyville.

The Sunday school class of Mrs. W. P. Richardson of the Bentleyville M. E. church, makes the following announcement: "On ye fifteenth day of [illegible] February, nineteen hundred and thirteen, countless fair lassies composing the 'Pushers' of ye Methodist Episcopal Sunday school of ye village of Bentleyville, will give in ye Bank Hall, of ye aforesaid village 'A Countrie Fair.' Ye countrie folk and villagers, including all ye fair lassies and brave youthful gallants are invited to attend the fair. Amid ye notes of soul-stirring music and ye glittering splendor of ye artistically decorated booths ye will desire to make a few purchases of homemade delicacies served by ye fair young daughters of our countrie." A fortune teller will be present and will delight the crowds by explaining the future of all those desiring same.

Slovaks Give Gymnastic Exhibition.

The Ellsworth Slovak Falcon's Lodge No. 126, gave a gymnastic exhibition [illegible] talent show for the benefit of the lodge. This lodge trains its members along athletic lines for the purpose of keeping up their physical standard, regardless of their daily work in the mines. A team of five men under the leadership of Frank Pronda did about all the various stunts upon parallel bars that can be done by a human being. Each number brought most enthusiastic applause from the audience and the society will have a general field meet during the coming summer.

Measles Close Schools.

The Finleyville schools have been closed for the past week owing to an epidemic of measles.

Mad Clay Pigeon Shoot.

An interesting blue rock shooting contest was held at the home of Park Wilson at Roy Saturday afternoon. Mr. Wilson shot the mark blue rocks. About 30 persons were present. Mr. Wilson will hold another match Saturday, February 8.

Ellsworth Has Live Woman's Club.

A meeting of the Ellsworth Woman's club was held at the home of Mrs. W. S. Stroud on Thursday afternoon. This organization devotes its efforts to self-improvement and the general civic needs of the community. They have always conducted a sewing class for the children of Ellsworth on Saturday afternoon until the present year when their activities have been devoted to other lines.

Pupils at Ellsworth Surprise Teacher

Neatly written invitations were received by the teachers of the Ellsworth schools a few days since from the Seventh and Eighth grade pupils of the schools to attend a dinner given by them. Mrs. W. H. Beck was selected by them as the hostess of the evening. The girls evidently knew of her ability in this capacity because there wasn't a dull moment in the entire evening from the time that the teachers were seated at dinner until the last game had been played in the evening. The dinner was served in the Kindergarten room of the school which is always used as a dining room for all school affairs. The table was nicly arrangd and a most appetizing dinner was served by the girls, which was entirely prepared by themselves. The manner of service and the care for detail was most noticeable. After the dinner the evening was given over to games and amusements of various kinds in which all took a part. The girls who compose the Seventh and Eight grades are: Margaret Beveridge, Lillie Calverly, Margaret Conner, Helen King, Anna Lothey, Margarit Lockie, Kate Plenderleith, Hazel Shank, Maude Welling, Jane Beveridge, Marie McNulty, Ethel Morgan, Helen Nix, Mary Nix, Ruth Painter, Mary Shank, Elizabeth Snyder, Ida Weaver and Jennie White.

Beallsville Man Wins Prize.

At the Monongahela Poultry show last week Charles Bevan of Beallsville, who exhibited Barred Rocks, won first and fourth pullet, second cockeral and second pen. C. L. Holder who exhibited Rose Combed Minorcas also won.

Club to Hold Banquet.

A called meeting of the American Pioneer club was held at the home of Wm. W. P. Richardson of Bentleyville last week for the purpose of arranging for the annual banquet of all members and their husbands.

Experts Talk on Birds.

For nearly two hours J. S. Briggs of Norristown, Pa., of the Bureau of Horticulture talked to a large audience [illegible] school building at Hickory on the "Economic Value of Our Birds. His lecture was one of the most interesting and instructive that has ever been delivered on a local platform, especially to the boys and girls of the community.

Farmer Meets With Queer Accident.

Jefferson McRoberts, a well known

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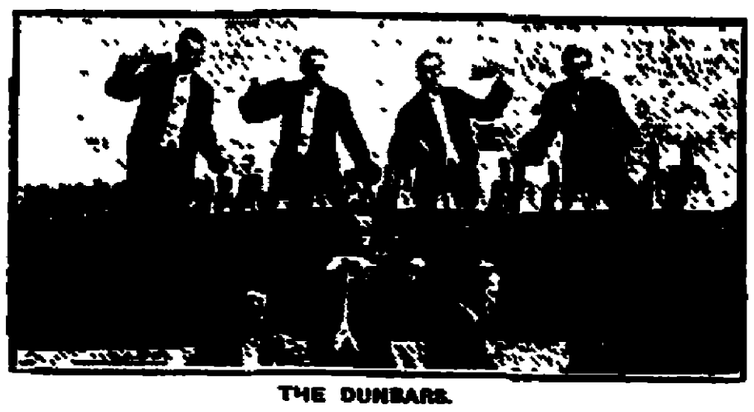
SINGERS AND BELL RINGERS TO APPEAR



THE DUNBARS.

Fresh from a three-week's concert tour in Canada, the Dunbar male quartet, which it is believed will be one of the best attractions of the season on the Charleroi Entertainment course arrived here this morning for their concert to be given tonight at the Methodist Episcopal church. The quartet came to Charleroi from West Newton and tomorrow will go to Pittsburg where they will appear tomorrow evening.

Since its inception the Dunbar quartet has changed somewhat. The present manager is J. Leon Felger who took the place of Ralph Parland Like Parland, he is a basso. The members of the club on their present tour are J. M. Wood and J. A. Nesbit, tenors; R. E. McConnell, baritone, and Mr. Palmer bass. Produced with musical instruments and suitcases the company of four looked more like a branch of a theatrical troupe than anything else when they arrived. Not only are the members of the quartet singers but they are also players being at home with various kinds of musical instruments. The bell ringing is a feature. They promise a most interesting concert.

IS ON JOB TILL TIME IS CALLED

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ruary 12, while the state wide prohibition bill will come up for a public hearing next Monday. The law and order committee has reported *out the anti-treating bill and the bill* to prevent beer and wholesale agents from selling to the consumers' trade.

Representative Walton of Lawrence today introduced another local option bill. It is similar to the Anti-Saloon League measure offered in every respect, except that it provides that each ward of a city or borough and each township shall vote separately and for itself on the "wet" and "dry" question. It is very similar to the Boyd bill that provoked such a bitter fight during the last Legislative session.

The movement in favor of woman suffrage was aided greatly Tuesday, when Senator Vare of Philadelphia declared that he and his friends were in favor of submitting the amendment giving women the right [illegible] rejection. The bill has already passed two readings in the house, and is expected to come up for final passage today. Because of this, Harrisburg is invaded by an army of fair suffragettes, who are working hard for their measure. While it was generally conceded that the measure to submit the question might pass the house, it was also believed that the *senate would give it a solar plexus*, and thus delay the submission another two years. Senator Vare's position, however, has given the women additional encouragement, and they are hopeful of getting the measure through both houses. As Governor Tener has recommended the submission of the question in his message, there is no doubt but what he will promptly sign it if the bill passes both houses.

What is considered a freak bill was introduced by Representative Runk of Franklin county, in what is known as the "finger bowl" bill. This prohibits the use of finger bowls in public places by more than one person. The bowls must be cleansed each time after use, under the penalty of a fine for each violation.

Sunday baseball in Pennsylvania got a solar plexus blow by being reported to the house by the Law and Order committee with a negative recommendation. This is expected to kill the measure for the rest of the session.

The flood of bills that is being introduced continues, and until they are reported out by the various committees their full significance is not apparent at this particular time.

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Every woman in the valley knows what Remnant Sale means at Berryman's---and they look forward to this Semi-Annual Riddance of Remnants, as a money saver. There will be piles of Remnants of Silks, Dress Goods, Linens, Percales, Calicoes, Muslins, Flanels, Laces, Embroideries, Flouncings, Trimmings, Etc. And these are all our own remnants---remnants from our own stock. There are no bought up remnants here. There'll be remnants of carpets, linoleums. oil cloths---Special prices on Ladies' Suits, Coats, Furs---on Men's and Boy's Suits and Overcoats---Special prices on odd and soiled curtains, portiers, etc. They are all Red Ink Ticketed. Red Ink Prices Rule at this sale. They move the goods.

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$30, $27.50 and $25.00 Ladies' Suits

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$20.00 Ladies' Suits $12.00
$15.00 and $16.50 Ladies' Suits Remnant Sale Price $8.00

Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps

Men's $3.00 Soft Hats $2.25
Men's $2.50 Soft Hats $1.48
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Men's and Boy's $1.50 Soft Hat $1.15
Men's and Boy's $1.00 and $1.25 Soft Hats 79c
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Men's $2.50 Dress Pant now.$1.98
Men's $3.00 Dress Pants now.2.25
Men's 3.50 Dress Pants now..2.50
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REMNANT SALE PRICES ON SUITS AND OVERCOATS FOR MEN YOUNG MEN AND THE LITTLE FELLOWS.

$10.00	Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now	$7.50	$2.50	Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now	$1.98
12.00	Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now	8.50	3.00	Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now	2.25
15.00	Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now	9.75	3.50	Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now	2.50
18.00	Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now	13.75	4.00	Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now	3.00
20.00	Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now	14.50	5.00	Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now	3.75
22.00	Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now	16.50	6.00	Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now	4.25
25.00	Young Men's Suits and Overcoats now	16.50	7.00	Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now	5.25
			8.00	Little Fellows' Suits and Overcoats now	5.75

Store opens at 8 o'clock, not before. Thursday and Friday, 6th and 7th.

Furs!

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All Ladies and Childrens Furs One Half Price.

None reserved—not even the minks. The open winter has left us with entirely too many—so all must go at one-half price.

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Boy's 50c Pants now 39c
Boys' 75c Pants now 59c
Boys' $1.00 Pants now 79c
Boys' $1.25 Pants now 89c
Boys' $1.50 Pants now $1.19

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Men's $2.00 Flannelette Pajamas Now $1.48
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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Lettice Lewis went to Elizabeth today to visit several days at the home of a son.

Fred W. Cooper is visiting in Pittsburg.

Ralph Bayne purchased a new team of horses Tuesday from an owner near Brownsville.

Gilbert Riggle and James Welch attended the play "The Lion and the Mouse" at the Monessen Opera House Tuesday evening.

Dinner and Supper, Saturday, February 8. Christ Lutheran church. Benefit Charleroi Brigade. 11 a. m. to 10 p. m. 165t3

OVER THE COUNTY

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farmer of West Pike Run township, met with an accident one day last week near the home of John Simon on the National pike. Mr. McRoberts was returning home with a number of pigs which had been placed in a box. In some manner one got its head fast and commenced to squeal loudly. Mr. McRoberts was in a road wagon and when he went to investigate the noise made by the pig caused the horses to take fright. Mr. McRoberts had his right hand between two boards and when the wagon was jerked away his fingers were caught. The horses ran a short distance and were caught by some teamsters. Mr. McRoberts went to the home of J. C. Dague at Beallsville and had his hand dressed, and when he arrived a physician made an examination, when it was found that two fingers were broken. His hand was also cut as was one of his legs.

Theatre Owner Sued for Damages.

Iona Williams Greene and Frederick Greene. her husband. have brought suit against John C. Morgan of Canonsburg owner of the Morgan building for $4,000 and $6,000 respectively, for personal injuries received in the Canonsburg Opera House disaster of Saturday night, August 26, 1911. This is the first action brought as a result of that memorable catastrophe.

Meetings Postponed a Week.

The tabernacle meetings in Canonsburg to be conducted by Evangelist Milford H Lyon and party, which were announced to begin at Canonsburg Sunday, February 16 will not start until Sunday, February 23. The evangelist and his party will be obliged to remain a week longer in Cleveland than expected.

Back to the Country.

It is stated that Cyrus Morrow former county prothonotary, has been looking about Claysville with a view to moving to that place from the county seat.

Borough Sued for $1,000.

Joseph Salvitti of Bentleyville, through his attorneys has filed notice of an appeal from the viewers award on the damages to his property by reason of theconstruction of a borough sewer on Main street, Bentleyville. A statement of claim in a suit for $1,000 damages from the borough by reason of the construction of the sewer was also filed.

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